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PRC Nominating Committee concludes interviews with Commissioner applicants, to submit final recommendations on Nov. 14

SANTA FE, N.M. — The New Mexico Public Regulation Commission Nominating Committee today concluded individual interviews with Commissioner applicants to fill three upcoming vacancies created by a change in the structure of the Commission to an executive-appointed body starting next year. The Committee will meet on Monday, November 14, to recommend at least five of the interviewed candidates to Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham, who will appoint three of them to the Commission to begin serving on January 1, 2023, subject to approval by the state Senate.

Tasked with evaluating candidates to fill openings on the Commission, the Nominating Committee's list of recommendations to Governor Lujan Grisham must include applicants from at least three different counties in New Mexico, and the new Commission may not include more than two members from the same political party. Members of the new Commission will initially serve a term of either two, four or six years, respectively, with Commissioners ultimately serving staggered six-year terms.

Individuals who interviewed with the Committee are as follows:

- H. Ward Camp
- Kenneth Costello
- Cynthia B. Hall
- Arthur O'Donnell
- Gabriel Aguilera
- Amy L. Stein
- Carolyn Glick
- Cholla Khoury
- Glen Lyons
- Jeffrey Peace
- Joseph Little
- Patrick O'Connell
- Scott Karns
- James Ellison
- Brian Moore

Applicant materials, including resumes and cover letters, of the interviewed candidates can be found online at <https://www.nm-prc.org/nominating-committee/>.

Who: Public Regulation Commission Nominating Committee

What: Regular Committee Meeting

When: Monday, November 14, at 9:00 a.m. MST

Where: Room 309, New Mexico State Capitol, 490 Old Santa Fe Trail, Santa Fe, NM 87501; online via <https://nmlegis.gov/>

Public Comment: Public comment will take place before the Nominating Committee makes its recommendations. To sign up for public comment, please email patrickj.rodriguez@prc.nm.gov

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